

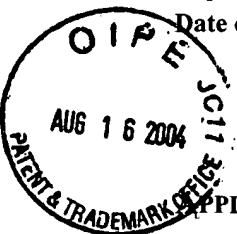
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APPLICANTS : Eisenberg  
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FOR : NOVEL ANTI-ALLERGIC AGENTS

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time to respond to the Final Office Action mailed March 17, 2004 in the above-identified application. With the extension, a response is due on or before August 17, 2004. A check in the amount of \$210.00 (Check No. 19160) is enclosed herewith to cover the fee pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(2).

Please charge any additional fees that may be due, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Reference No. 24025-501 NATL. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: August 16, 2004

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